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Attn: David Unruh, LG, Cleanup Site Manager

Re: Fourth Quarter 2023 Progress Report TECT Aerospace Cleanup Site Everett, Washington Landau Project No. 0222057.050

Dear Mr. Unruh:

Landau Associates, Inc. (Landau) prepared this progress report for the TECT Aerospace Cleanup site (Site), at the request of the Snohomish County Airport (Airport), to address Snohomish County's obligation under Section VII (C) of Agreed Order No. DE 21781 (AO) to provide progress reports to the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology). This report summarizes progress during the fourth quarter (October through December) of 2023, and activities anticipated for the first quarter (January through March) of 2024.

The following activities were conducted in the fourth quarter of 2023:

- Conducted key project meeting on October 5 with Ecology, Airport, and Landau project teams to discuss the goals of the Agreed Order Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) Work Plan (AO RI/FS Work Plan).
- Completed data management related to 3Q23 groundwater sampling, including data validation, tabulation, and quality control assessments.
- Ongoing coordination with waste disposal vendors to characterize and dispose of existing investigation-derived waste drums currently stored on Site.
- Prepared client-attorney and agency review drafts of the AO RI/FS Work Plan, including tables, figures, text, and appendices. The agency review draft was submitted to Ecology on December 28.

The following activities are anticipated for the first quarter of 2024:

- Review Ecology comments on the agency draft AO RI/FS Work Plan and prepare the final version of the plan.
- Collect Site-wide groundwater elevation data.

• Plan, coordinate, and contract with subcontractors to implement the AO RI/FS Work Plan.

Deviations from the AO Scope of Work and Schedule:

• None to report.

Thank you for your continued support with the ongoing cleanup efforts at the TECT Aerospace Cleanup Site. Please contact Andrew Rardin with the Airport, or Jerry Ninteman of Landau, if you have any questions regarding the activities described above.

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cc: Andrew Rardin, Snohomish County Airport